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Dear Doctor Frankel:

Admiral Strauss has asked me to reply to your letter of March 17, in which you expressed once again your interest in the possible hazard of radiiodine as might be released at the time of atomic explosion. As you may well guess, we are very much aware of such a possibility, but unfortunately are unable to comment further on your letter at the present time.

Sincerely yours,

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